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**1. Type of Application**

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

**2. Papers Enclosed**

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application

35 Page(s) of Specification

14 Page(s) of Claims

23 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Informal

B. Other Papers Enclosed

3 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney

1 Page(s) of abstract

**3. Other Papers Enclosed**

Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. 1.98)

Form PTO-1449 (PTO/SB/08A and 08B)

Citations

**4. Declaration or Oath**

Enclosed. Executed by inventor/legal representative.

**5. Inventorship Statement**

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

**6. Language - English**

**7. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)**

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$740.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	36	- 20 =	16 x	\$18.00	\$288.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	7	- 3 =	4 x	\$84.00	\$336.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$280.00	\$0.00

Filing Fee Calculation \$1,364.00

**8. Small Entity Statement(s)**

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above) \$682.00

**9. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time**

Enclosed  
Filing Fee \$682.00

**Total Fees Enclosed \$682.00**

**10. Method of Payment of Fees**

Check in the amount of \$682.00 is attached.

**11. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 21-0800.

**12. Instructions as to Overpayment**

Credit Account No. 21-0800.



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